ITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket Number (Optional) 018547-048820US FY 2005 (fees effective on or after October 1, 2004) Filed December 5, 2001 Application Number 09/683,264 For COMPUTER SOFTWARE FOR AUTOMATED ANNOTATION OF **BIOLOGICAL SEQUENCES** Examiner Mahatan Channing Art Unit 1631 This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Fee Small Entity Fee

⊠ C	ne month	(37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110	\$55	\$ <u>110</u>	
□ т	wo month	s (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$430	\$215	\$	
П т	hree mon	ths (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$980	\$490	\$	
□ F	our month	ns (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1530	\$765	\$	
F	ive month	s (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2080	\$1040	\$	
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